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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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455.00

Complete If Known

Application Number	10/624,279
Filing Date	July 22, 2003
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES	
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) Fee (\$): 50 Small Entity Fee (\$): 25Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) Fee (\$): 200 Small Entity Fee (\$): 100Multiple dependent claims Fee (\$): 360 Small Entity Fee (\$): 180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	
				Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
- 20 or HP =	x	=			

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